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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
**	:	Examiner: Ethan C. Whisenant
WILLIAM L. TREPICCHIO ET AL.	)	
•	:	Group Art Unit: 1634
Application No.: 09/852,400	)	
	:	
Filed: May 9, 2001	)	
	:	Confirmation No. 5404
For: COMPOSITIONS, KITS, AND	)	
METHODS FOR IDENTIFICATION,	:	
ASSESSMENT, PREVENTION,	)	
AND THERAPY OF PSORIASIS		December 23, 2003

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2003 for five (5) months to and including January 1, 2004. A check in the amount of \$2,010.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension in connection with this application, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

In response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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